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CRIMINAL CODE

AMENDMENT TO PERMIT SWEEPSTAKES ORGANIZED BY PROVINCES FOR BENEFIT OF UNIVERSITIES OR HOSPITALS

The house resumed from Friday, May 27, consideration of the motion of Mr. Bertrand (Laurier) for the second reading of Bill No. 28, to amend the criminal code.

Mr. VITAL MALLETTE (Jacques Cartier): There are so many public hospitals in the county of Jacques Cartier that I consider myself in duty bound to speak on this bill sponsored by the hon, member for Laurier which would permit the holding of sweepstakes under provincial regulations and supervision for the benefit of hospitals and legally constituted universities. No doubt hon. members will be interested to have a list of the hospitals which are in my county. In Lachine we have l'Hôpital St. Joseph and the Lachine General Hospital. In Cartierville we have l'Hôpital du Sacré Coeur, better known throughout America as the Hospital for Incurables. At Côte de Neiges we have l'Asile Nazareth, St. Mary's and the Jewish hospital. At St. Laurent there is l'hôpital de Notre Dame de l'Espérance.

It is well known that hospitals are having a hard time financially. In all the cities in Canada annual campaigns have to be held to support the hospitals. In many cases that is not sufficient, and provinces and cities have to guarantee their bonds, and not only the bonds but often the interest coupons as well. Therefore there is no doubt about hospitals being in need of financial support. Fortunately there is a large number of anonymous benefactors who help such institutions. Some generous people help them regularly, others at various times or upon special occasions. Some benefactors adopt a certain institution, sometimes because of religious reasons, sometimes because a hospital specializes in the treatment of diseases in which they take an interest. Hospitals devoted to the care of children seem to have a peculiarly strong attraction for good-hearted people, and derive great benefit from their interest. Leading. citizens of both sexes serve on the boards of administration of hospitals and charitable institutions of all kinds. Their services are, of course, given freely; they render them as a duty and often as a hobby as well. They are glad to help their fellow citizens to that This is practical Christianity of a kind of which we are greatly in need. Leading business and professional men deem it an